

Looking for childcare or help with childcare costs?



Families Information Service

For childcare:
nottshelpyourself.org.uk/childcare

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Whatever type of childcare you need, find it all in one place.

Find out what childcare funding you can get and how to apply:

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How many hours childcare could you get per week?

Age 9 months - 4 years

Working families

30 hours

Age 2 - 3 years

Families receiving government support

15 hours

Age 3 - 4 years

All parents

15 hours

38 weeks a year. Eligibility criteria applies. Providers may ask for additional charges.

Extra ways to pay for childcare

You may be able to use Tax-Free Childcare or Universal Credit Childcare to pay for your place with a registered childcare provider, such as childminder, nursery or preschool.

With a tax-free childcare account working parents with children aged 11 or under can get up to £2,000 per child, per year towards their childcare costs (or up to £4,000 for disabled children 16 or under). For every £8 you pay in to your account, the government will top up with an extra £2.

If you receive Universal Credit, you could claim back up to 85% of childcare costs for children under 17.

Did you know? This can also help you to pay for wraparound childcare for primary school aged children.

